

# Roles & Responsibilities of ASHA for Paediatric COVID Care





### **Awareness Generation** in Community

- What are the signs and symptoms of COVID -19 in the Paediatric age group
- What are the red flag signs
- >> Whom to contact in an emergency
- Where to go in case of symptoms
- What are the COVID Appropriate Behavior (CAB)
- When and where to get tested
- Reassurance to the community that there is no need for panic

#### Whom to visit?

Visit all houses with children & adolescent and communities

#### How often?

During routine services and house to house visit



#### Surveillance

House to House survey

#### Whom to visit?

All homes with special focus on:

 Influenza like illness in the child (fever/cold/ runny nose/sore throat/cough etc.)







- Acute respiratory symptoms in the child
- When the child has co-morbid conditions (chronic disease/malnutrition)



## Case Management and follow-up for Paediatric COVID

- Adherence to home isolation guidelines
- Post-COVID follow-up
- Linking of the child to the higher facility in case of complication

#### Whom to visit?

COVID positive/suspected children

#### How often?

At least once a day/telephone enquiry



#### **Vaccinations**

- Dispel myths and misconception
- Mobilization for Routine Immunization of the child
- Facilitation in registration of eligible parents and caregivers for COVID vaccination

